

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box → ☐

PTO/SB/08A (08-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO  <b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b>  (use as many sheets as necessary)			<b>C m p l t e if Known</b>	
			Application Number	10/732,296
			Filing Date	
			First Named Inventor	LADHA, A. et al.
			Group Art Unit	
			Examiner Name	
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number 11312

RL  
10/13/09

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials <sup>1</sup>	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number	Kind Code <sup>2</sup> (if known)			
MA		5,574,900		Huang et al.	11/12/1996	
		5,835,755		Stellwagen, Jr.	11/10/1998	
		<del>5,837,875</del>		Cochrane et al.	02/16/1999	58730.75
		5,973,666		Challener et al.	10/26/1999	
		6,009,265		Huang et al.	12/28/1999	
		6,021,405		Celis et al.	02/01/2000	
		6,205,465		Schoening et al.	03/20/2001	
		6,208,990		Suresh et al.	03/27/2001	
		6,507,834		Kabra et al.	01/14/2003	
MA						

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner Initials <sup>1</sup>	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Foreign Patent Document			Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	To
		Office <sup>3</sup>	Number <sup>4</sup>	Kind Code <sup>5</sup> (if known)				

Examiner Signature	/Mohammad Ali/	Date Considered	01/15/2007
-----------------------	----------------	--------------------	------------

<sup>1</sup>EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

<sup>2</sup> Unique citation designation number. <sup>3</sup> See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. <sup>4</sup> Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). <sup>5</sup> For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. <sup>6</sup> Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. <sup>7</sup> Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U. S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.